

It is certain that Lord SALISBURY would never have made the statements contained in the last two sentences had he had under his eye the correspondence relating to the draft treaty, and that he was very ill served by the permanent officials of the Foreign Office who prepared the brief on which the despatch dated Nov. 26, 1895, was based. The correspondence in question is printed in full in the Blue Book; but the compiler, taking for granted that nobody would wade through the mass of documents, and thus, almost every reader could find himself in the "preliminary statement," is, in that statement, deliberately garbled the purport of the correspondence. This is a serious charge. We now proceed to prove it.

Inasmuch as the documents relating to the draft treaty of 1885 had to be published within the same covers, the compiler of the "preliminary statement" could not ignore

This is it. "Necessary taxation be—
When it conflicts with schemes of my own."
During the three years in which Mr. CLEVELAND has been President, the Federal expenditures have exceeded the revenue by more than one hundred and thirty million dollars, while the revenue for this year, after nearly two years of the Cleveland-Wilson tariff, shows a deficit of eighteen millions up to Feb. 1. But, in order to vindicate himself in the matter of the tariff, Mr. CLEVELAND has steadfastly set his face against any alteration of it in the direction of lower duties. He has boldly kept himself in countenance while protesting that no additional revenue is needed.

Since the 4th of March, 1898, fresh reasons for getting more money into the coffers of the United States have appeared in an increased interest-bearing debt of \$289,000,000, and in foreign complications making

It is possible that, within a week past, other arms-bearing vessels besides the Bermuda may have left points upon our sea-

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Why don't the leaders say a word?
It's nearly time they should.
Are Democratic candidates
All busy sawing wood? W. J. L.

insurgents whatever professors of international law may say about it. Therefore, if we could make our sympathy practical let us declare for belligerency. CHARLES L. WOOD, Hyde Park, Mass. March 19.

Five Thousand Dead Indians—Would that
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